Subject No. 463.

Restoration of old order re-permitting raiyats to take wood from State Forest for agricultural implements, etc.

Mr. Subba Rao.

Summary of Representation.—When wood for agricultural implements and pasture for cattle were not procurable in places set apart for the purpose in the Heggaddevankote Taluk, State Forests used to be thrown open for the use of the public. The Forest Department have of late included within the demarcation line district jungles and other kharab lands to the great prejudice of the raiyats and their cattle. Request that steps be taken to free the raiyats from the oppression of the Forest subordinates and the old order of things restored, the raiyats being permitted to take certain kinds of wood from State Forests for agricultural purposes.

Reply of Government.—Not possible.

Subject No. 464.

Removal of restrictions imposed by Forest Department on Yantahalli raiyats.

Mr. Subba Rao.

Summary of Representation.—The raiyats of the Yantahalli village live close to the State Forest. They subsist upon rice grown not from any perennial source of water but from rain, their rice lands being situated in or near State Forests. The Forest Department has imposed undue hardship on the raiyats and on their cattle by making demarcations close to their habitations. Pray that the restrictions may be removed by acceding to the raiyats the privileges they enjoyed before the recent demarcation; else the raiyats who are "Odders" nomadic tribes will flee into the Malabar District close by.

Reply of Government.—Dundlu, Banni, Kaggli, Ooya Gobli, Bilijala, Tadasalu and Sogade are desired to be excluded from the classified list. The Conservator will enquire into and report.

Subject No. 465.

A sub-dispensary either at Magge or Malali.

Mr. Subba Rao.

Summary of Representation.—The location of a sub-dispensary either at Magge or at Malali is prayed for as the dispensaries at Sargur and Heggaddevankote are not accessible to the Yantahalli and other villages people during the rainy season.

Reply of Government.—For District Board's consideration.

Subject No. 466

A Telegraph office at Heggaddevankote.

Mr. Subba Rao.

Summary of Representation.—It is proposed that a Telegraph office may be opened at Heggaddevankote as Heggaddevankote is a jungly and frontier taluk where elephant khedda operations and tiger shikars are taking place constantly.

Reply of Government.—Not necessary.

Subject No. 467.

A whole-time Sub-Registrar for Heggaddevankote.

Mr. Subba Rao.

Summary of Representation.—The Taluk Sheristadar is doing the registration work in this taluk. His time and attention are therefore divided. A whole-time Sub-Registrar is wanted.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

Subject No. 468

A road from Malali to Sargur.

Mr. Subba Rao.

Summary of Representation.—The construction of a road from Sargur to Malali is much desiderated.

Reply of Government.—For District Board's consideration.